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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT - CHAR BAHAR NAVAL BASE CONSTRUCTION

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1. PARSONS REPRESENTATIVES WHEN THEY MET WITH ECON COUNSELOR WERE FULLY AWARE THAT CAMSAX, A DANISH FIRM, HAD THE FEASIBILITY AND DESIGN STUDIES (OR PHASE I) CONTRACT. PARSONS HAD THEN DECIDED TO OFFER ASSIST KASHFI AS SUBCONTRACTOR AND OVERALL CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISOR FOR NAVAL BASE PORTION OF KASHFI'S WORK.

2. AGREE THERE IS NOT TOO MUCH IN IT FOR THEM, BUT EMBASSY HAD UNDERSTOOD THAT ARRANGEMENTS WITH KASHFI INVOLVED PROVISION OF EXPERTISE ON AN AGREED HOURLY, DAILY, OR MONTHLY RATE AND ASSISTANCE IN PROCUREMENT OF EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES NECESSARY FOR CHARBAHAR CONSTRUCTION.

3. COMMENT: EMBASSY SUSPECTS THAT KASHFI'S NEED FOR PARSONS WILL INCREASE AS MUTUAL CONFIDENCE GROWS BUT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR EMBASSY TO PUT A DOLLAR FIGURE ON KASHFI'S NEEDS.

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